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TO-MORROW

... 80 %

The election battle campaign is nearly over and the next move is up to our electors. Please.....Vote.....Tomorrow!

We believe that St. Albert will have a tremendous turnout for this election. Please do not disappoint us. We are not asking you this for ourselves, but for the sake of all of us. Candidates should be elected by a large turnout of our town, so that they can be sure that they really represent a majority, making it easier for the candidate to serve the council or school board.

Much has been said about St. Albert in the past and also at present. Many times it wasn't pleasant. Tomorrow, let us show all of Alberta that in spite of so many differences, we know our duty as citizens. Let us vote for those candidates that we think are the best for our town.

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From Our Readers

Dear Sir,

We would like to answer the question raised by the Rev. Dr. E. R. Schwarz in the October 12 issue of the Gazette, "whether or not the electors who shall vote to place men on the Separate School Board have been told, or have asked themselves just what motivations prompt a candidate to run. Is it to work for the strengthening of the system upon its Protestant foundations or is it something else?" We sincerely hope the latter is the answer; mainly to strengthen and improve the school system. This is a system of Christian and non-Christian beliefs, not a system for Protestants alone. We are shocked to hear a minister, who is supposedly teaching brotherly love, striving to enlarge the rifts between people by encouraging our children (the citizens of tomorrow) to dwell on their differences, essentially religion, rather than stressing their common meeting grounds.

We feel there is too close an association between members of the present board and a church of one single denomination. We know of many people, who although they may not be regular church goers, are better Christians in the sense they live a moral, honest life than some of their brothers who may put on a weekly show of faith.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Helen Taylor

Mrs. Doreen Forbes.

Dear Sir,

I would like to take issue with the point of view expressed by Dr. Schwarz in last week's Gazette.

His statement "The foundation of the system is Protestantism" gives the impression that the St. Albert Separate School System was formed for religious reasons. This is not so. It was formed for the practical and economical reason that being the one to break away, the separate system would start with a clean slate, with new buildings and no 'old' debts.

Our Separate System, founded as it was on this principle, can be strengthened just as well by an "Atheist" as by a person of "serious Protestant conviction. Had it not been for the conviction that a predominantly Protestant community would have eventually prompted the Catholics to start a separate system of their own, leaving us with the old buildings, etc., I don't think the Protestants would have bothered.

Considering also that the separate system of St. Albert will have the responsibility of educating children who are not of the Protestant, or even Christian faith, a man without strong sectarian beliefs will be most suited to the duties of trusteeship.

It is my belief that religion should be kept out of school, if it was we wouldn't be in the ridiculous position of having two school systems.

So, Doctor, let's leave religion out of this election, let it be decided by the consideration of who will provide the best education in the three R's for our children within the school system, while the Theologians can provide spiritual guidance for those interested, within the churches.

Ron Walker.

A WORD TO THE "WISE" REGARDING PROTESTANT SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS:

Dear Sir,

Last week the "Gazette" very kindly printed a letter I had written and a number of people have phoned me to challenge the position taken therein and to accuse me of many things but principally of engaging in a "smear campaign" to assure that certain of my friends were elected. I should like to speak to these.

First, to the charge of favouritism, I owe nothing to any of the candidates as either members or potential members of the School Board. Having no children to send to the schools, I have no quarrel with particular regulations or procedures. Nor have I any relatives employed by the Board. Further, the congregation that I am working with uses the facilities of the school system less than any of the other Protestant Churches in St. Albert. So the charge that I have or will receive special advantage for having written the letter is very shaky indeed. In terms of favours from the Board, there is little that I have asked for, little that I have received, and little that could be used as a lever to make me write such a letter.

Why then, did I write the letter? The answer is not complicated. A main point of the Protestant Reformation was the affirmation by part of the Christian Church that all areas of life must be lived in accordance with the purposes of God as revealed in Christ, and that the ethical, moral and spiritual demands of God are equally binding on mankind whether they live their lives serving in factory, field, kitchen or at the altar. This places a definite responsibility upon the Protestant that should not be confused with the position of being merely non-Roman Catholic. As Roman Catholic minorities in many places have established separate school systems so that their children could receive educations with distinctively religious characteristics, so a number of Protestants established a Separate School System in St. Albert. As the terms of reference in Alberta allow the separate school, whether Roman Catholic or Protestant, to be formed for a specific purpose in the matter of religion, it is my concern that this purpose be preserved in our St. Albert Protestant School System. It is not suffic-

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ient for this purpose that those elected be merely non-Roman Catholics, they should be convinced and practicing Protestants.

A reasonable comparison is the wide practice in government of not allowing a person to hold office if his business interests might conflict with his duties of office. If a candidate was doing business with the school board it would be well that he were not elected lest his business concern affect his judgement, so also if he is not a convinced and practicing Christian Protestant, his judgement might be impaired in fulfilling his duties of office.

This was the point to the letter of last week, I raged, and now urge again, that the electors choose their candidates upon the basis of the candidates' ability to maintain and foster the Christian Protestant atmosphere in the school system. So to the accusations that I am showing preferences, yes I am, I am standing for the position that the school system should remain Protestant and not become a system that can claim nothing other than being non-Roman Catholic. One last word, as to my use of the word atheist which disturbed many of my callers during the week. The dictionary on my desk defines atheism as "the belief that there is no God" and many have phoned in anger over this without going on to read that it is also "godless living". My use of the word in this situation where my concern is that a "godless education" should not replace a Christian Protestant education has, unfortunately, been misread or misunderstood by some readers and for this I am sorry though my concern remains as stated earlier.

Rev. Dr. E. R. Schwarz



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PRESS RELEASE BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ST. ALBERT

In campaign literature distributed by the St. Albert Voters' Association it is stated that the Council of the Town of St. Albert unwisely accepted the resignation of Mr. Gordon Parkes as Secretary-Manager. It is the feeling of the Council that a reply to this statement should be made for the information of the electors in the forthcoming election.

It is a matter of record that Mr. Parkes tendered his resignation on two occasions. The first tender was made in writing on 23 July, 1962. Mr. Parkes was asked by Council to reconsider and the matter was fully discussed between Mr. Parkes and the Council with the result that he withdrew his resignation. However, on 24 July, 1962, Mr. Parkes tendered his resignation in writing to the Mayor, and at a meeting of Council on 30 July, 1962, he made it quite clear that he would not reconsider his position, and Council accepted his resignation. Following such acceptance a discussion took place as to when Mr. Parkes might be freed of his duties and it was determined that he should be permitted to leave the employ of the Town by 10 August, 1962. Under these circumstances it is difficult to understand how it can be suggested that the Council displayed "lack of wisdom" in accepting Mr. Parkes resignation when in fact there was no alternative available. Undoubtedly Mr. Parkes elected to engage in other fields of endeavor, and did in fact enter the occupation of a land developer, in which activity, so far as is presently known to the Council, he is still engaged.

In the campaign literature it is suggested that the administrative procedures adopted from time to time by the present Council have been unsound. Your Council takes issue with this statement and suggests that the many problems presently faced by the Town are the result of the unsound administrative procedures adopted by the former administration of which Mr. Parkes was the Senior Administrative Officer. These problems may not be capable of being resolved without serious financial implications and will certainly lead to considerable additional expense for necessary professional advice apart from potential financial loss to the Town due to any settlements which may be necessary. In each instance your Council feels that these problems would not have arisen had it not been for unsound administrative procedures.

The following problems serve to illustrate the position in which your Council has been placed:

- 1) It is alleged by the Separate School Board that the Town negotiated a contract with the Board for the joint use of parkland by the Town and the Board, and it has been suggested that unless the Town honours this alleged commitment Court proceedings may be instituted against the Town to prevent the Town from making any other use of the land in question and to require performance of the alleged contract. Unfortunately there is no reference in the Town minutes to substantiate the allegation and there is certainly no bylaw or resolution to confirm the alleged contract. Your Council therefore must investigate these allegations in order to ascertain its legal position and at the same time is being asked by the Public School Board to make this land available for school construction. Under these circumstances it is difficult to understand why the present administration is accused of failure to make a concrete policy regarding the allocation of land dedicated for school and park use. Surely the proper procedure in the negotiation of a contract involving a municipal corporation requires the drafting of a written document for presentation and consideration by the Board of Administrators.
- 2) In 1957 the New Town proposed the acquisition of lands for sewage lagoons and because no agreement was reached on a purchase price a bylaw was enacted purporting to expropriate the land in question. However, subsequent to the enactment of the bylaw the procedures clearly prescribed by statute for offering compensation and arbitrating the question of compensation with the landowner were not followed. The Town having constructed and operated the lagoons then found itself in the position of being a trespasser and now has no choice but to settle on the landowner's terms, which were exceedingly fair under the circumstances, but this error is costing the Town an additional \$11,000. (over 1 mill).
- 3) In 1960 the New Town entered into a development contract with St. Albert Development Limited. Pursuant to this contract the Town was required to supply the company with monthly statements as to the costs incurred in the installation of local improvements. The Company is now calling upon the Town to give an accounting of these costs and it has been established that the monthly statements were not supplied as required. In dealing with this problem at the present time for the purpose of giving this information, it has been determined that the records which were maintained at the Town Hall were entirely inadequate. The Company alleges that the Town in disposing of the residential lots developed pursuant to the contract, has failed to account to the Company for a very substantial sum of money. Because of the inadequacy of the records available, the Town is hampered in its efforts to get at the truth of the allegations.
- 4) Finally, reference should be made to the negotiations for the proposed development of River lots 47 and 48 in St. Albert Settlement which in the early part of 1962 was held under option by Atlas Finance and Realty Corporation Limited. This is the property of which Sir Alexander Mackenzie School forms a part. As a result of negotiation between Atlas and the New Town a development agreement was executed by Atlas and forwarded to the New Town for execution by the proper signing officers. On 22 June, 1962, Atlas requested that consideration of the agreement by the Board of Administrators be deferred to a later meeting as Atlas might wish to propose some amendments. This letter was received by the Board. On 3 July, 1962, the present Council took office. On 30 July, 1962, Atlas requested that the agreement be returned unsigned and stated that it no longer intended to be bound by the agreement. The second resignation of Mr. Parkes was accepted by Council on 30 July, 1962, and the following day Mr. Parkes returned the agreement without approval of Council and without advising Council that Atlas had requested the return of the agreement. By

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Press Release continued.

I the time the matter came to Council's attention development of the land had been put in the hands of a private development company so that the Town lost whatever opportunity it had of enforcing the contract. It can hardly be called a proper administrative practice for a senior administrative officer to undertake such action without authorization and permitting Council to determine its legal position in regard to the request for the return of the contract.

The recent publication of the St. Albert Voters' Association is just another illustration of the many attempts which have been made in recent months to discredit the administration of the Town's affairs by the present Council. The best answer to these criticisms is to be found in the report of the Provincial Government arising from the recent investigation where it is stated "We could find no evidence that the Council followed any deliberate policies or procedures that could be termed improper and has, we believe, attempted to administer the affairs of the Town in the proper manner."

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From Our Readers

WAKE UP ST. ALBERT ...

It is ironic indeed that, for the past two weeks Mr. Gordon Parkes has been the brunt of so many accusations regarding his alleged errors in administration, while holding the position of Secretary Manager of the Town of St. Albert prior to July 1962. Have these accusers forgotten that Mr. Gordon Parkes was not responsible for setting policy? Any blame for mal-administration of St. Albert, prior to July 1962, can only be placed on the former Board of Administrators. It is also ironic that we still have some members of our former Board of Administrators on our present Town Council. Why does our present Town Council view with apprehension, the election of Mr. Gordon Parkes to Council. It was stated, by our present Council that "they had confidence in Mr. Gordon Parkes, as an administrator and that they had asked him to reconsider his resignation." Why does the Civic Electors Association accuse the wrong man? If I run a business, I am responsible for the conduct of my employees in business matters. Mr. Gordon Parkes was an employee of the New Town of St. Albert.

Wake up taxpayers! Vote wisely. This Town needs experience to give us proper administration. Mr. Parkes has that experience. We have tried inexperience for the past 15 months and the results have been discouraging evidenced by tax increase, lack of confidence in our present Council and the "pass the buck" attitude when confronted with questions regarding their administration. Can you afford another 15 months of the same type of administration? **VOTE FOR PARKES AND SOLLANYCH!!!!!!**

(Inserted by George Willis, Salisbury Ave.)

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Tomorrow we voters will go to polls to choose two councillors to represent us in town affairs. The issue in this election seems to be the candidature of Mr. Gordon Parkes, former secretary-manager of the town. During his nine-year tenure in St. Albert administrative work, inspections made annually by provincial government officials cast no doubt whatsoever on Mr. Parkes' ability and integrity.

Therefore, Mr. Parkes' qualifications for office must have looked extremely formidable to his opponents: here was a resident of eleven years, well-versed in municipal government, and extremely knowledgeable about our local situation. Obviously these were qualifications tough to match, as was the clear statement of policy issued by Mr. Parkes and his running-mate, Mr. Alex Sollanych (the only such constructive platform to appear in this campaign).

Two lines of approach have evolved in opposition to the Parkes-Sollanych ticket:

- 1) at public meetings exhaustive questioning has attempted (futilely) to raise doubts about Mr. Parkes' ability as town administrator.

- 2) over the back fence a whispering campaign questioned Mr. Parkes' integrity: "Did he really resign, or was he removed because of unscrupulous dealings?"

In answer to these attempts to slur Mr. Parkes' ability and integrity, I would ask two questions:

- 1) Would he who feared scrutiny of his administration invite a thorough-going inquiry into town affairs by petitioning to the Department of Municipal Affairs?

- 2) Would council not have informed the public had any questionable action on Mr. Parkes' part been uncovered? Instead of this, the report of the Municipal Inspector's investigation has been made only partially available to the voters of St. Albert.

Yours truly,
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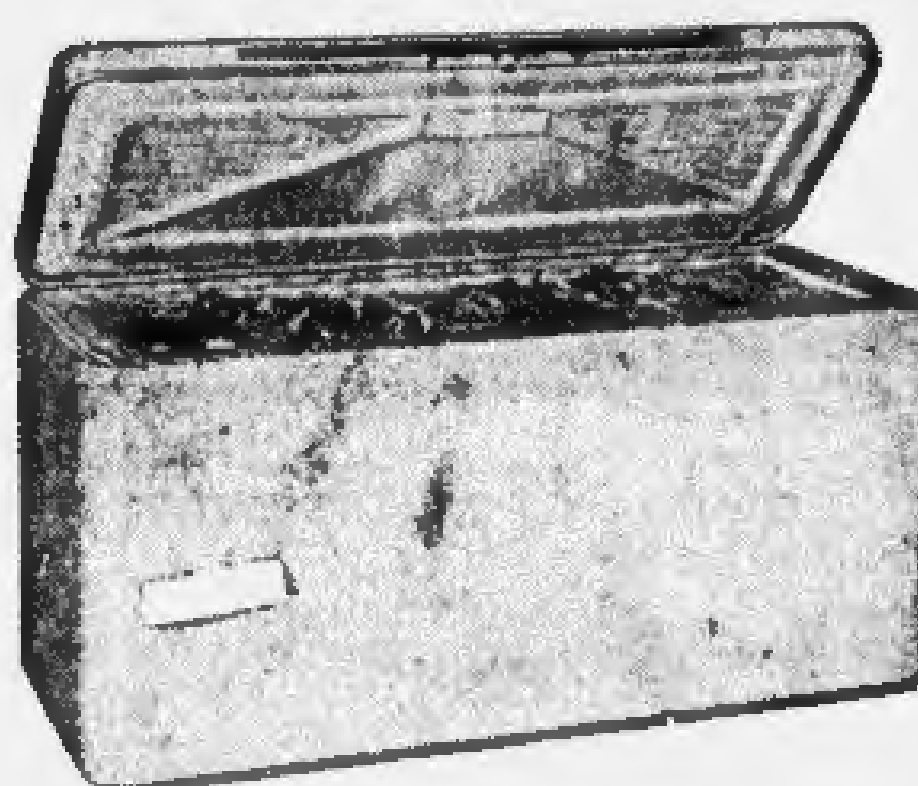
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Ladies who are interested in forming a Women's Group in association with the congregation are invited to contact Mrs. G. Peterson.

An Adult Communicants Class will commence next Sunday, October 20th at 3:30 p.m. in Westmount Church. Persons who desire to become Communicant members of the Church are invited to attend. The classes will run for a period of six weeks. Names of persons received into the Church will be added to the roll of St. Albert congregation when this is formally established.

The Westmount Session has ordered two dozen copies of the Book of Praise with Psalms which they will present to the congregation as a gift.

It is proposed to appoint a 'Presbyterian Record' Secretary in the congregation to receive the names of persons desiring to subscribe to the Presbyterian Record for 1964. If 80% of the families place subscriptions, the rate per family will be \$1.00; otherwise the individual rate is \$1.50.

The Meeting of Sunday last, October 6th, agreed to the purchase of an organ at a cost of \$495.

Anyone interested in a Junior Choir (8-12 years) please contact Mrs. Margaret Fraser 599-7491 or Mrs. Jean Dobbie 599-6835.

The Church School Staff is as follows: Superintendent - Mr. H. McIlveen, Nursery - supervised by Mrs. J. McBroom - up to 3 years, Children aged 3 - Miss Linda Fraser, Kindergarten ages 4 & 5 - Miss Jane Netelenbos, Primary Ages 6, 7, 8 - Miss Saskia Ryks, Junior Ages 9, 10, 11 - Mrs. W. Ryks.

Next Sunday, October 20th, Mr. J. Parker student minister, will be in charge of the service. Everybody is welcome.

CLUB NOTES

The United Church Women will hold their Annual Turkey Supper in the Church basement Saturday, October 26. There are two sittings to accommodate everyone. One at 5 p.m. the second at 7 p.m.

For turkey at its best with all the traditional trimmings, throw aside the calor ic chart and come one, come all. Tickets are available from Mrs. W. Blackie 599-6318, Mrs. W. Hite 599-6131, Mrs. W. Penrose 599-7289, or any member of the U.C.W. Children 12 years and under 50¢. Adults \$1.25.

The Chi Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi met Wednesday October 9th at the home of Mrs. T. Whelan, 29 Glenmore Place. The programme for the evening "Your Day Socially" was given by Mrs. G. Moffat.

The Chi Chapter will be taking part in the Annual Beta Sigma Phi Bazaar to be held in November at the Masonic Temple. Last chance to register for figure skating lessons for girls 5 and up. Saturday, October 19th in the basement of the Community Hall. No skating skill required.

Ten lessons for five dollars.

All lessons will be held on Tuesdays.

St. Albert Recreation Board.

FOR PROTESTANT SCHOOL BOARD

On Thursday, October 18, when all the accusations and counter accusations, in which we have not indulged, are forgotten, we hope; there remains but one job to be done. This is of course the pursuit of ways and means to obtain for our children the best education possible, at the same time making the best use of our tax dollar. During the past 4 years this is the goal for which we have worked. We are very proud of our young district, the staff, schools and facilities, but we are never satisfied and realize that much is yet to be done. However, with the added experience, we feel we are better prepared with the task at hand. We would therefore request your support at the polls tomorrow with a vote for Browne and Cuts.



William Cuts

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Derek Browne

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OBSERVATION

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OFFICIAL OPENING PAUL KANE HIGH SCHOOL

see pages 9, 10, 11, 12



The formal opening of the Paul Kane High School, newest addition to the St. Albert Protestant Separate School District plant, commenced in traditional fashion when Roger Coleman, President of the Student's Union, passed the ceremonial scissors to Dr. J. W. Chalmers. Thereafter, however, the unique character of the school's construction revealed itself. Guests were ushered in three different directions, and found themselves seated in three different rooms. Silently, the separating walls slid back, and the audience was revealed seated in a beautifully arranged small auditorium with tiered seats. In front of them another wall moved quietly away and showed a large stage, beyond which was the lofty gymnasium. Then the far side of the stage closed. Freed from the acoustic problems of combination gymnasium-auditorium structures, the program was carried out in an intimate style greatly appreciated by all present.

Master of Ceremonies for the occasion was the District Secretary Treasurer, Mr. H. G. Armstrong, whose solid and well prepared chairing ensured everyone a very enjoyable evening. His theme throughout the evening was "The Educated Heart". Reverend James Joly of the St. Albert Baptist Church gave the invocation and was followed by Mr. Ron Harvey, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the School District. He told the audience that the total cost of the school building was \$515,832, and of its contents approximately \$60,000. The building cost amounted to \$13.32 per square foot. The Foundation program allows \$14.00 per square foot including furnishings and landscaping, so Mr. Harvey felt that Board could be congratulated in the figure achieved, which was the result of much careful planning. Mr. Stan Hodgson of the firm of Aberdeen and Groves, expressed his appreciation of the work of the contracting firm, Poole Construction, and told something of the aims followed in designing the school. He pointed out that the so-called "windowless concept" was a most practical one, reducing outside heat and glare and also reducing winter heat loss, as well as lessening outside distraction, a very important point at the high school level. He also spoke of the extreme flexibility of the design which permits not only the use of sliding partitions such as those in the small auditorium, but also means that the interior walls are not weight bearing and can be altered without affecting the structure itself. He in turn presented the key to Mr. D. L. Petherbridge, principal of the Paul Kane. Mr. Petherbridge spoke of the dedicated attitude of the students and staff, and pointed out that the flexibility in the construction of the school reflected the flexibility beginning to show itself in the Alberta curriculum. Many new ideas in both subject matter and means of presentation are coming to the fore and this is an era of great change in educational methods.

Mr. R. W. Abbot, representing the Hudson's Bay Company, was then called upon. He pointed out that Paul Kane, for whom the school was named, was commissioned by Hudson's Bay Company Governor Sir George Simpson, to paint pictures of western Indian life. He spoke of the pleasure of the Bay management and Company in being associated with the new School. He called upon Roger Coleman to accept for the School a fine trophy to be awarded annually to the student achieving the highest academic standing in Grade 12 examinations.

Superintendent of the School District, Dr. A. J. Proudfoot was introduced to the gathering and spoke on what might constitute an ideal school. While one could not definitely say yet whether Paul Kane was an "ideal school", his present answer would be "yes".

A pleasant variation was given the proceedings by two excellent choral numbers by the Grade 7 pupils under the direction of Miss E. Wilson. As Mr. Armstrong said "this, after only one month!"

Guest of Honour, Dr. J. W. Chalmers, Director of School Administration for the Alberta Department of Education gave a most interesting address, containing a lot of very sound information, particularly in defence of boys, laced with a particularly fine wit, which was greatly appreciated by his audience. He also gave some very interesting facts about Paul Kane, telling of his skill as an artist, traveller and writer of some merit. He was, in fact, a most admirable character, and it was most fitting that the school should have been named for a man of his attainments. Dr. Chalmers made the traditional presentation of a picture to the School, in this instance, a beautifully colored one of Maligne Lake. He was then called back to the platform with Mrs. Chalmers and she received a sheaf of flowers from the hands of Miss Pat Sollanych, one of the High School students, with the thanks of the students for their interest in the school.

At the conclusion of proceedings, guests enjoyed a tour of the new building, which contains 16 classrooms, gymnasium multi-purpose auditorium, science rooms, home economics room, language laboratory, commercial room, industrial arts shop, infirmary, administrative offices, library and staff rooms. Coffee was then served by Home Economics students.

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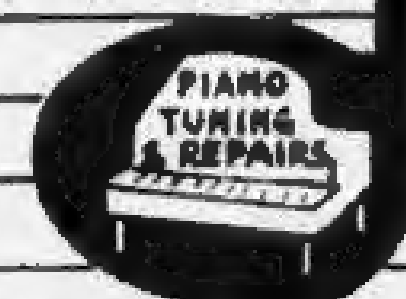
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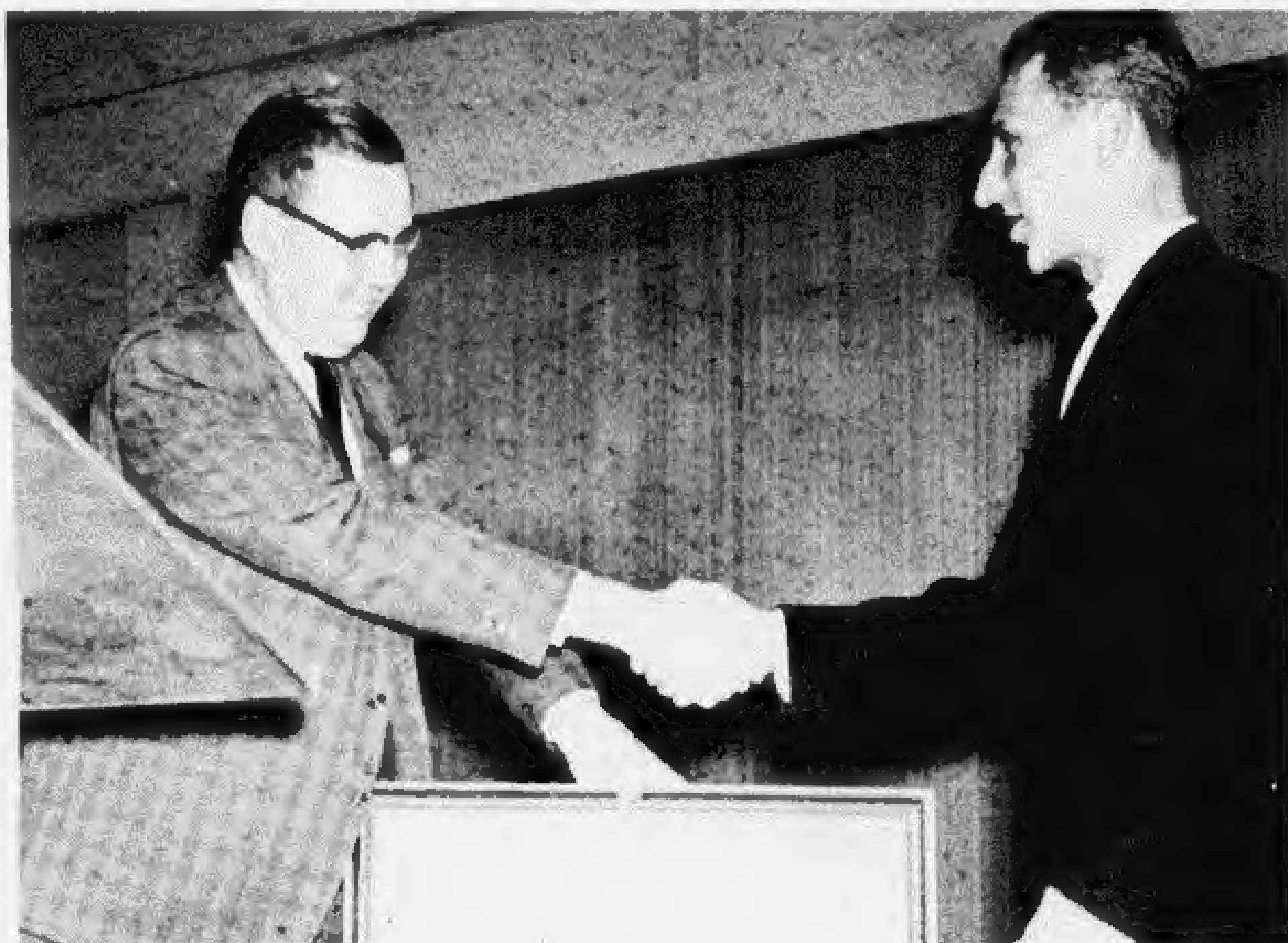


Miss E. Wilson with her Grade 7 class
choir.



Part of the audience showing from left to right: Mrs. Coleman, mother of the H.B.C. Trophy winner, Mr. S. Hodgson, architect of the school (partially seen behind Mrs. Coleman), Mr. Alex Dollanych

Mr. D. Petherbridge, Mrs. Petherbridge, Mr. James Dobbie member of School Board, Mrs. Cuts, Dr. A. Cuts member of School Board and Mr. F. Carnahan (partially concealed) principal of Sir George Simpson.



Dr. J. W. Chalmers, Director of School Administration representing the Dept. of Education, presented a color picture of

Maligne Lake to Mr. D. L. Petherbridge, principal of the new Paul Kane High School.

MIXED CURLING

We can still accomodate 3 or 4 rinks in the Saturday Night Mixed Curling. Curling starts this Saturday, Oct. 19, so call A. Donais

Phone: 599 - 6057

CLUB NOTES

The Marguerite d'Youville Auxilaury will hold their Annual Fall Tea and Sale of Goods at the Youville Home, Sunday, October 27th from 2 to 5 p.m. The sale will be held in the front parlor of the Home and the Tea in the auditorium. A complete baby layette made by the Youville Sisters and valued at \$75.00 will be raffled. The layette will soon be on display at Belley's Hardware and just previous to the Tea, will be displayed at Grandin Shoppers Park. Tickets are now available from members. Tickets on a money doll also to be raffled will be sold at the door.

Convenors for the event are:

Tea Convenor - Mrs. Neil M. Ross

Handicrafts - Mrs. M. Sullivan and

Mrs. R. C. McIntyre

Bake Table - Mrs. M. Vaugeois

White Elephants - Mrs. I. Oddleifson and Mrs. E. McLaughlin

Plate Sale - Mrs. J. L. Samwald

As anyone who attended the tea and sale last year will tell you, this event is the Youville Auxiliary's biggest project and an excellent place to do Christmas shopping. The articles offered for sale are beautifully made and often not to be found in retail stores. See you there!

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Oct. 25 St. Albert Girl Guides Local Association will meet at the Community Hall at 8 p.m. All mothers of guides and brownies are requested to attend.
- Oct. 26 Fairyland of Fashion 2:30 p.m. at the Bonaventure Motor Hotel sponsored by the Father Lacombe Chapter I.O.D.E.
- Oct. 26 United Church Women's Annual Turkey Supper. Two sittings 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. United Church basement.
- Oct. 27 Annual Tea and Sale of Marguerite d'Youville Auxiliary 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Youville Home.

FROM THE CHURCH HILL

The First St. Albert Annual Parent and Scouters Communion Breakfast will be Sunday, October 20th after the 8:30 Mass



Mr. R. W. Abbott, of the Hudson's Bay Company, presenting the annual trophy for the student achieving the highest academic standing in Grade 12 examinations, to Roger Coleman.

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Dr. J.W. Chalmers during his speech



Dr. A. J. Proudfoot, Superintendent of the St. Albert Protestant Separate School Board, addressing the audience.

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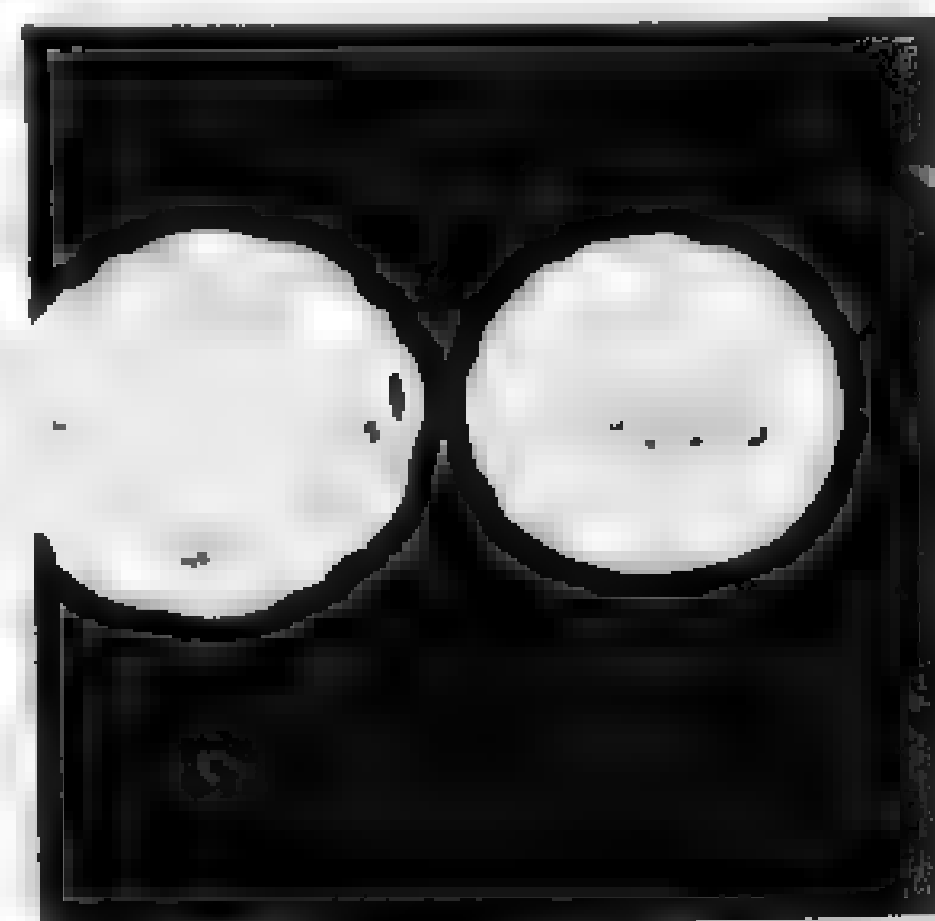
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The Yuuville Auxiliary is now selling commemorative plates showing the Yuuville home and on the back, a brief history of the home. On the left, a plate given away by Mr. Perron at the opening of his store in the early 1900's, on the right, the Yuuville plate.

DAVE'S MEAT MARKET

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1 Front Quarter of Beef approx. 100 lbs.

10 lbs. Pork Sausage

10 lbs. Pork Shoulder Roasts

5lbs. Sliced Side Bacon

10 lbs. Beef Sausage

10 lbs. of frying chickens

10 lbs. Round Steak

10 lbs. Hamburger

10 lbs. Pork Chops

10 lbs. Beef Liver

10 lbs. Short Ribs

5 lbs. Wieners

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In behalf of the girls' ball team, I like to thank Ivan Brewster, sponsor, Wayne Haybert, Bob Chartrand, coaches, for the successful year and looking forward to the next.

Kathy Leptah, President

accommodations available for a limited number of children in afternoon kindergarten classes at Sir Alexander Mackenzie School. Phone 599-6533.

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FOR PROTESTANT SCHOOL BOARD



and

BETTER



PUBLIC RELATIONS

We, the undersigned have investigated thoroughly the qualifications of the above candidates and are firmly convinced that their technical knowledge, administrative ability, and moral fibre, qualify them, to an unusually high degree, to serve on the Board.

With reference to the remarks of Reverend Dr. E. R. Schwarz in the October 12th issue of this newspaper, wherein he states that one of the candidates (whom he does not name) "claims to be an atheist" our investigation reveals that this statement could not possibly refer to either Mr. Walker or Mr. Scott, the candidates we support and urge you to support on October 16th.

L. RANDALL

D. DUNCAN

W. LOVE

W. STRELOFF

I. BREWSTER

D. PERRY

L. BREWSTER

T. STARK

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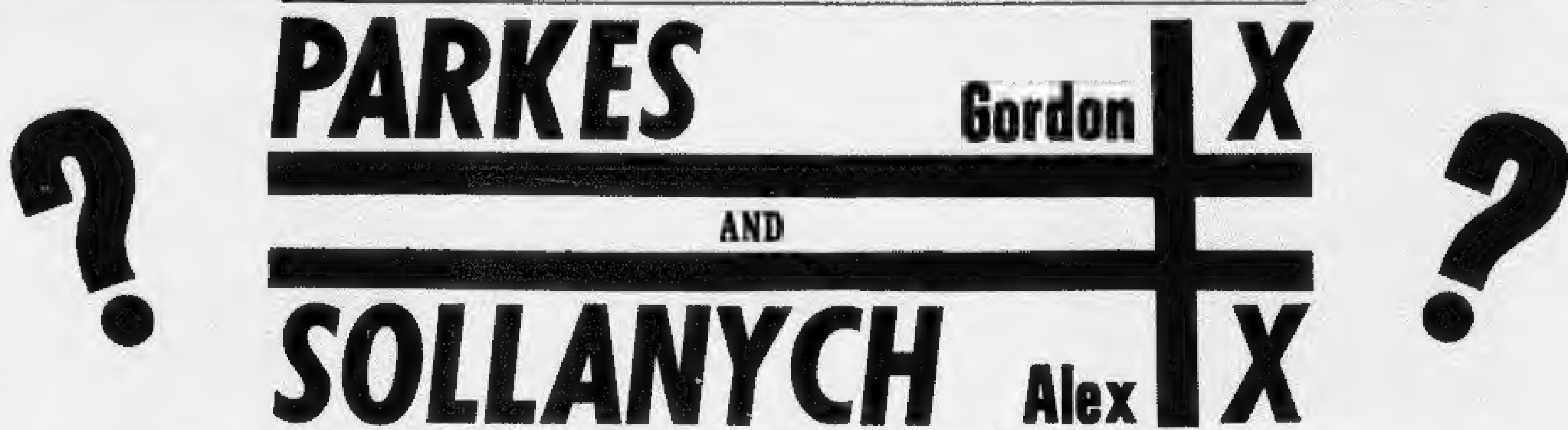
George C. Walker

X

W. "Mac" Scott

X

WHY SHOULD YOU VOTE FOR



BECAUSE

Only Their

platform has been in front of the public for consideration for two weeks.

Only They

have called public meetings to explain their platform and answer all questions.

Only Their

platform has successfully withstood all attacks.

They

have not resorted to desperate, last minute political tricks: such as having the present Mayor (also former Chairman of the Board of Administrators) and Town Council making false public allegations; obviously, deliberately, timed not to allow the candidates an opportunity to repudiate them.

**THE ELECTION
of PARKES
and
SOLLANYCH
WILL ENSURE**

- * SOUND ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES.
- * THE RETURN OF COUNCIL TO ITS RIGHTFUL ROLE AS A POLICY MAKING BODY PRIMARILY, WITH EXECUTIVE DUTIES CARRIED OUT BY EMPLOYEES.
- * THE ESTABLISHMENT OF FIRM POLICIES FOR THE USE OF DEDICATED LANDS.
- * THE PROVISION OF AN ADEQUATE FRAMEWORK OF POLICY WITHIN WHICH THE RECREATION BOARD CAN ACT WITH AUTONOMY.
- * THE CONDUCT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS AT PUBLIC MEETINGS.
- * THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.
- * THE RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF CONFIDENCE IN ST. ALBERT THROUGH POSITIVE PUBLIC RELATIONS POLICIES.

Initiated by the St. Albert Voters' Association.



George Walker

TO THE ELECTORATE OF THE ST. ALBERT PROTESTANT SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 6

*** Please ***
READ and THINK

Our system of democracy is contingent on giving electors a choice. To give you a choice I intend here in to make all issues, positive issues. The Chairman of our School Board has chosen to call the forthcoming election a political campaign, so I therefore ask you to examine the issues and vote for W. "Mac" Scott and George C. Walker only if you believe the present School Board has been remiss in the issues we have raised and if you desire some change. Please make your vote a positive vote on the following issues:

1. The Chairman of the School Board has endorsed all actions of our School Trustees completely by his recent letter in answer to mine. After receiving calls from numerous ratepayers including a member of our Teaching Staff, I must comment in general on this letter as an attempt to whitewash the School Board's record and promote votes for the incumbents. Specifically I have these comments:

- (a) If I am making our teachers subject to a "political football", then the letter publishing the teachers' salaries issued by the Board was a form of kicking that football. I believe in maintaining the dignity of our Teaching Staff. Do you?
- (b) My children cannot wait "Because of the economics involved" for libraries to be established in our schools. How many of you have seen our new high school library? (on your children wait until the "economics involved" are solved? Mine keep growing in spite of these "economics involved".
- (c) Are all the teachers who helped produce the good results still on our Teaching Staff? The answer is "No". Some have left in disgust over our Board's stand. Do you want a continual exodus?
- (d) If it is cheaper to bus children than to move so-called portable schools, then why have we built portable schools?
- (e) Why are we planning a Central High School when our previous supervising principal recommends against this?
- (f) "Expensive frills" are, in part: new administration building furniture in storage awaiting completion of a new building while completed school library shelves are devoid of books.
- (g) Your School Board has had joint informal meetings with the Public School Board. When did they start? What are the results? The answer to results is "None".

So much for the chairman's letter. Now about issues published by incumbents seeking re-election. It has been asked of you that after four years at the helm, you should renew their effort for three more years.

1. More religious education is promised. In four years our children have had prayers and Bible reading over an intercom. I will work for a program whereby ministers of all faiths will be given the opportunity to teach their religion at least one hour per week to children whose parents so desire and the balance of the pupils given a course in the history of modern religions by competent authorities. This is not a political offer but one in which I have always believed.

2. The present incumbents are like all other School Trustees in the province. They bow to the inevitable increase in school costs and are only concerned that our schools get a fair share of what is up for grabs rather than doing research on improved and quite often less expensive methods of operating the school system. As a consultant engineer in charge of the supervision of the spending of many millions of dollars per year on behalf of my clients, I am aware that the cost of human endeavour increases each year. However, because of advances in technology, the overall cost is often greatly reduced. I cannot see why this cannot be applied to our educational system.

Sincerely,
George C. Walker.

THINK and VOTE
FOR PROTESTANT SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD

VOTE
W. "Mac" SCOTT and
GEORGE WALKER

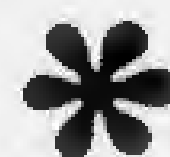


Mac Scott

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Mac Scott



for
**Separate Protestant
School Board**

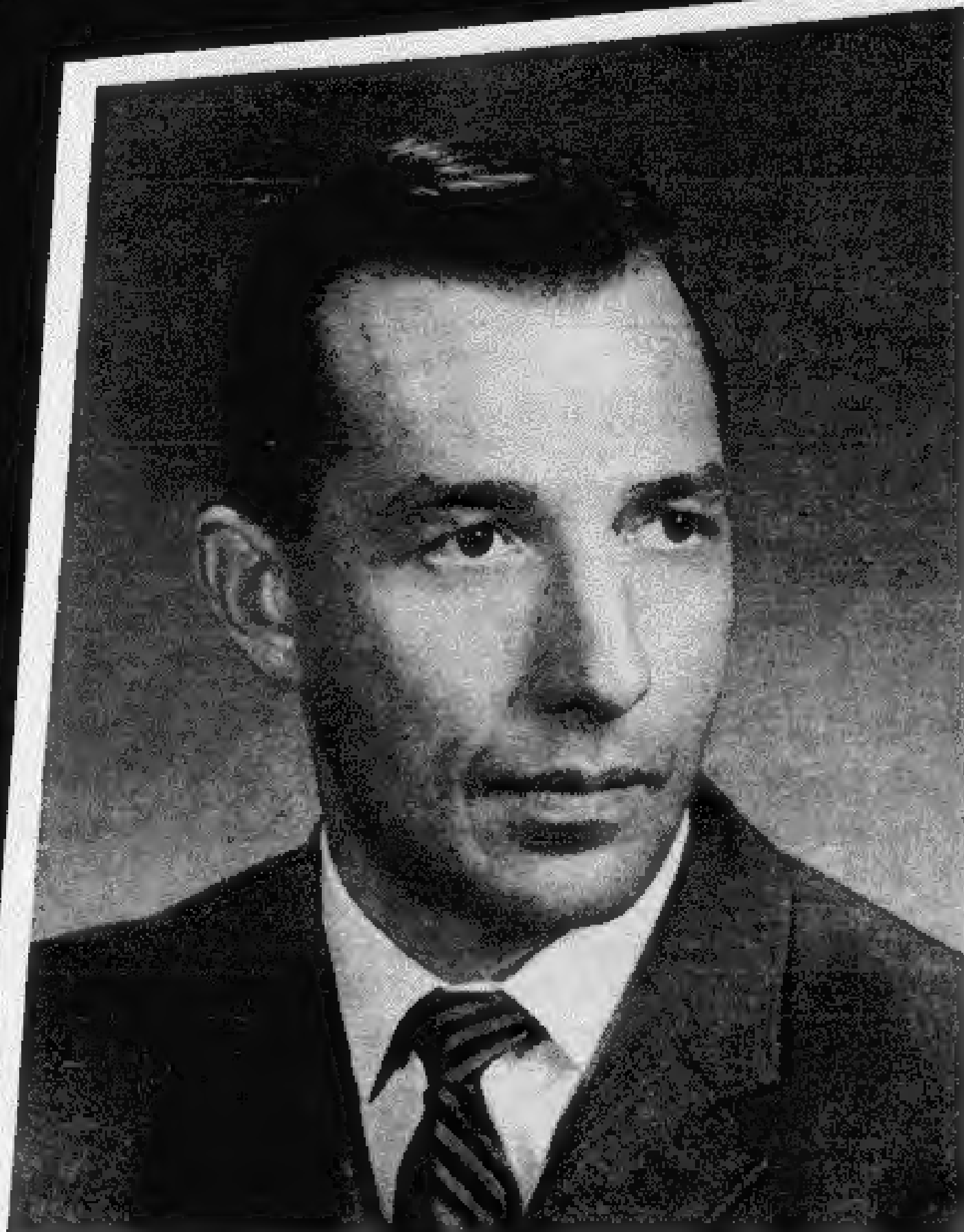
*I am asking for your support on Wednesday, October 16.
I am an Insurance Inspector. I have been a resident in St. Albert (Grandin
Park) since 1960.
I am married and have 3 children, two of which attend school. I have been ac-
tive in community activities since taking up residence in St. Albert.*

- 1) When elected I propose to make sure your tax dollar is spent to the best
advantage.*
- 2) That our children are provided with the utmost in education.*
- 3) To ensure harmony between Board and Teaching Staff.*
- 4) To make sure the Board is not spending over and above the Foundation Grant*

*I will, if elected, devote my time and ability to the School Board and co-oper-
ate with the other members of the Board.*

VOTE - WALKER - SCOTT

OCTOBER 16



VOTE

DENIS HEFFRING

A MAN OF DECISION,

DENIS HEFFRING, 21 GROSVENOR BLVD.

As the current campaign progressed, more and more the split or factions if you wish, became more evident. This is unfortunate in a town this size where the only way to progress is through unity, not division. As an independent candidate Mr. Heffring is responsible to no group, is able to give a voice to all. Mr. Heffring is very concerned that at least one candidate running in this election has property around the town and operates a business which could benefit from council decisions. As a homeowner Mr. Heffring has no financial interests at stake in connection with council decisions and is very concerned that allowing control of the town to fall into hands of people who may benefit financially is placing undue temptation for graft in their way. Noting that the report of the municipal affairs investigators placed the blame for St. Albert's financial predicament squarely in the lap of the former new town administration, Mr. Heffring wonders why the budget prepared by that administration which predicted a \$210,000. surplus was not questioned. A surplus of this amount in a town the size of St. Albert is completely unrealistic. As it happened, this "surplus" turned into an \$82,000. deficit - an administration error of \$292,000.
